

Sinclair Broadcasting will be in violation of campaign laws because of their decision to make their stations broadcast an anti-Kerry documentary days before the election.

Sinclair's use of the public airwaves obligates the company to serve the public interest. Airing partisan material directly before a crucial national election without also airing material that expresses the opposing viewpoint is not in the public interest.

Sinclair's actions are the paradigm case for the need to strengthen media ownership rules. All public broadcasting stations should have to justify their use of public airwaves in order to renew their licences. Thank you.